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FOREIGN

HAD FUNDS.

New York, July 13 .- That Dr. Israel Friedlander and Dr. Bernard Cantor of New York, Jewish relief workers, killed July 7 in the Ukraine by Bolshevik, are believed to have had about \$400,000 in American money in their possession when killed, was asserted in a statement made public today by Felix Warburg, chairman of the joint distribution committee.

According to Mr. Warburg, the only way of getting funds to war sufferers in the territory where the two men were working is by carrying it in per-

Reports received here from Warsaw are that Drs. Friedlander and Cantor were killed near Yarmolince, in the Ukraine, by three men wearing Bolshevik uniforms.

Their chauffeur reported that the men who stopped the party demanded money. The chauffeur escaped, he said but as he fled heard a shot and saw one of the Americans fall. It was stated that the American legation at Warsaw and the American joint distributing committee would investigate the shooting.

ANTI-SEMITIC STUDENT MOVE-MENT IN JUGO-SLOVAKIA.

Agram, Jugo-slavakia: (By I. J. P. B.) The Jugo-Slovakian medical students of the local university, in a petition to the senate of that institution, demanded the explusion of the foreign Jewish students from the university, and the establishment of a per cent norm for all native Jews.

This petition was signed by 340 students. In the medical department there are 870 students altogether. The Jewish student organization replied to the petition of its anti-Semitic fellow students with a declaration which it also presented to the senate.

LEON KOMAIKY HONORED IN WARSAW.

Warsaw: (By I. J. P. B.) Before Leon Komaiky, the representative of the American Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society, left Warsaw, he was given a royal send-off by the Warsaw Jews. Many took him to the station where he was presented with beautiful bouquets of flowers.

SLAIN JEWISH RELIEF WORKERS MINISTER OF CZECHO-SLOVA- GERMAN JEWS TO AID LITHU- YIDDISH SPOKEN IN LITHUAIN-KIA TO MEET JEWISH DE MANDS.

Bratislava, Slovakia: (By I. J. P. B.) The new minister of Slovakia, Dr. G. Derer, received the representative of the Czechoslovakian Jews, Emil Waldstein, who put before him a whole series of Jewish demands. The minister graciously and patiently listened to all these, and expressed sympathy with the wishes of the Jews. One demand for the establishment of a special office to handle Jewish affairs be granted at once. The others he promised to consider after he would make himself acquainted with the opinion of Jewish merchants in regard to them, and to act accordingly.

JEWS IN CZECHOSLOVANIAN GOVERNMENT.

Prague: (By I. J. P. B.) Although not a single Jew has been elected to the Czechoslovakian Parliament at the last election by the Jewish Party, there are now several Jews occupying prominent governmental positions. Dr. Meissner and Dr. Winter, two Jewish socialists, are members of the Czechoslovakian cabinet. The leader of the German Democrats of this country is Dr. Kafka, a baptized Jew. His wife is also a baptized Jewess and is descended from the family of Zachariah Frankel, the famous scholar and head of the Breslau Rabbinical Seminary. In the senate there is one Jew, the noted jurist, Professor Spiegel, elected by the German Party of Prague.

SUNDAY STRICTLY OBSERVED IN WARSAW.

Warsaw: (By I. J. P. B.) Every Sunday the Polish police are busy making sudden swoops upon the homes of small Jewish handicraftsmen to make sure that they do not work on Sundays. Whether the Jews are actually caught disregarding the law or not, they must bribe the police after such a visit. The police threaten them with a proctocal in any case, and the Jews know well enough that their word will not be believed in court when it is contradicted by the police, and so they bribe the latter not to molest them.

ANIAN TALMUDICAL STU-DENTS.

in: (By I. J. P. B.) A repreof now working for the relief of dical students in Lithuania a. The pokeep of the historic Talmus. The wish spirit throughout the diaspora. Some of the members of this committee are: Professor Banet, Berlin; the Reverend Dr. Karlbach, Lubek; Rabbi Freiman, Posen; Dr. Hirsch, Halberstadt; Rabbi Rosenthal, Breslau; Mr. G. Marks, Konigsberg, and others.

Throughout the dismal period of the war, threatened by massacre and starvation, the students of the Yshivos of Lithuania persisted in their study of the Torah and og Jewish science. Neither hunger nor the most acute suffering could move them to desist from their studies, and to seek an independent livelihood. At last, an organized attempt is to be made to aid them in their struggle.

In Lithuania itself, a committee has also been established, of which the Jewish Minister in the Lithuanian government, Dr. Rachmilovitz, is the treasurer, for the same purpose. This committee is now planning to found a normal school for Jewish teachers.

Lithuania has been the greatest center of Jewish learning since the days of Yavneh. Many of the great Jews of the world, writers, poets, scientists and diplomats, have studied at its Talmudical Colleges, Even many of our radical Jews, who are now but little interested in either Jews or Judaism, bear memories of years spent in the Lithuanian Yish-

VILNA JEWISH INSTITUTIONS IN CRITICAL FINANCIAL CON-DITION.

Vilna, Poland: (By I. J. P. B.) The Jewish Institutions of Vilna are in danger of being closed up on account of an acute lack of funds. Because of the war condutions and the persecutions by the Poles the Jews of the city are too impoverished to be able to support their institutions. The Kehillah is trying its utmost to raise funds and may appeal to the Vilna Jews in America for support.

AN PARLIAMENT.

London: (By I. J. P. B.) The Minister for Jewish Affairs in the Lithuanian government, Dr. Solovatchik, recently delivered an address in the Lithuanian parliament in Yiddish. It will be recalled that Lithuanian has granted the Jews national minority rights, particularly in cultural mat-

SATURDAY TO BE DAY OF REST IN PALESTINE.

London: (By I. J. P. B.) Sir Herbert Samuel declared before the Zionist Commission in Palestine that neither he nor any other Jew serving on the Administration will work on Saturdays. Saturday is to become the official day of rest in Palestine for the first time since the destruction of the Temple.

JEWISH FRUIT MERCHANTS OF WARSAW TO OBSERVE SABBATH.

Warsaw: (By I. J. P. B.) All the Jewish fruit merchants of Warsaw held a meeting at the house of the Grand Rabbi and decided hereafter to observe the Sabbath. Anyone caught selling fruit on the Sabbath will be penalized by not being permitted to carry on his trade for a whole week.

A VISION.

I see You in the heavenly night. field.

I see You on a spring-time yield.

see You with a forest-mate. I see You by the dawning day. I see You with a stroke of fate. I see You by the right of way.

I love You well-your mighty hand.

I owe You all-from birth to bier.

Thus God so makes me understand

That his omnipotence is clear. -Rose Strauss, Waco, Texas.

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